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CE 2303, a list of LD calls from the Ruby phone in the Carousel Club, contains an interesting coincidence, if it is that.

On October 3 at 11:03 pm a station call was placed to Elizabeth Ann Matthews at HE 1-3753, Shreveport, Louisiana. The call lasted 13 minutes. Mrs. Matthews is the wife of Havana gambler R. D. Matthews, who reportedly was involved with Ruby. Note also the Warren Report refers vaguely to a Ruby deal to sell surplus jeeps out of Shreveport. As you know, Matthews is a long time heavy in the Southwest, having been linked with Benny "Cowboy" Binion, the Dallas racketeer now in Las Vegas.

The coincidence is that this phone call was on night before the conversation between Ruby and Oswald re organized crime's plan to assassinate Connally, as reported by attorney Carroll Jarnigan.